

Department of Licensing Motorcycle Safety Advisory Board



Washington Motorcycle Safety Advisory Board Meeting

Thursday, March 28, 2019

6:00 pm – 7:26 pm

Department of Licensing, 421 Black Lake Blvd, Olympia, WA 98502

Present: Members – Michael Mason, Xenofon Moniodis, & Kathy Gill

DOL Staff – Bryan Jackson & Dave Walker

Absent: Members – Eric Ludlow, Chris Chinn

A. Election of New Board Chair and Discussion

Xenofon Moniodis was elected Board Chair.

B. Schedule Meetings for 2019

Bryan Jackson is going to inquire with the Agency as to whether or not the Advisory Board can have their own Facebook page to advertise the meetings.

June 2019 - Cle Elum

September 2019 - TBD

December 2019 - TBD

C. Oregon Governor's Advisory Committee Report Out

Xenofon Moniodis stated that the Advisory Committee consists of 8 members. Including Oregon State Police, Portland Police, Oregon DOT, a Military Representative, & Team Oregon. They were very well organized and professional. He said he learned a fair amount that he thought might be useful to the Board. Some topics of discussion included Oregon's Lane Splitting Legislation.

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F. Direction of the Board

Xenofon Moniodis stated that he would like to see that the board is doing something that is measureable, that there is a strategic plan, a dashboard that is reviewed quarterly, and an outreach program. He also recommended having a Vice-Chair position.

Bryan Jackson recommended that the Board makes an amendment to the Charter. He also suggested revisiting recommendations from the NHTSA assessment that was completed in 2017.

The board unanimously voted in favor of drafting a proclamation Memorializing May as Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month.

Kathy Gill stated for 2019 the direction should include examining board membership, composition numbers, and selection process.

G. Public Forum

A member of the public stated the focus of the program has changed from training to testing.

A member of the public stated that the structure of the board should not be changed and that it requires a change in statute.

A member of the public stated that the board members have repeatedly missed meetings. Recommendation to remove members that have 2 unexcused meetings.

H. Comments from the Board

No additional comments from the board.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be June 28, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.

Cle Elum Ranger Station
Tom Craven Conference Room
803 W 2nd St
Cle Elum, WA 98922